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Surface Transportation Board
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Via facsimile: 202-245-0458 and U.S. Mail

Re: Docket No. AB-565 (Sub-No. 2X). New York Central Lines, LLC-Abandonment

Exemption-in Middlesex County, MA

Docket No. AB-55 (Sub-No. 594X), CSX Transportation, Inc.-Discontinuation of

Service Exemption-in Middlesex County, MA

Dear Chief Brown:

I am writing to convey the Town of Sherborn and the Town of Holliston's request for and support of a one year extension of time in the above-referenced proceedings to August 22, 2011, to allow completion of the negotiation process among CSXT and the towns of Holliston and Sherborn for trail use of the approximately 4.17 miles of railroad between milepost QBH-2.60 near Sherborn and milepost QBH-6.77 near Holliston.

We also want to confirm our continued interest in establishing a trail use for the property proposed for abandonment and express our willingness to continue negotiations with CSXT.

Very truly yours,

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Paul D. Le Beau Town Administrator

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